The President's Letter.

The president's letter comes in reply to Mr. Griscom's blunt assertion by telegraph that "the absence of any authoritative information as to your

attitude is seriously misleading many republicans."

substance the president informed Tim-othy L. Woodruff, republican state chairman, and William L. Ward of the

national republican committee "that the thing of all others that ought to be

avoided is a controversy in the con-

Played Politics With President's Name

Mr. Griscom, in his comment on the president's letter, did not hesitate

to charge that the republican organiz-ation of the state played politics with the president's name and misrepre-sented his attitude.

Aroused Intense Interest.

counting of the vote cast in the repub-lican primaries at Hamden this eve-ning for candidates for state repre-

New Haven, Aug. 23.—Samuel A. Flight and Judge Willis M. Cook were

named as candidates for state repre-

sentatives by the republican primaries

at Hamden tonight after a contest of the livellest kind. Flight received 247 votes and Smith

Although the polls closed at eight o'clock last evening, the fact that there had been a good deal of splitting of tickets made the task of totaling the vote a lengthy one and it was half past one this morning before the result was definitely known.

Cases Postponed and Chief of Police

Out on Bail.

Wakefield, R. L. Aug. 22.—The six cases growing out of the anti-gambling crusade at Narragansett Pier, which came up before Judge Nathan B. Lewis in the Second district court

b. Lewis in the Second district court here today, were put over for periods of one, two and three weeks. James D. Caswell, chief of police, who was arrested on Saturday for alleged mal-feasance in office, pleaded not guilty

and his case was continued until Sen

and his case was continued until September 5. John R. Wilcox, sheriff, furnished \$300 bonds for his release. The two cases against William E. Arnold, vice president of the Narragansett club, were also battinued. Two case against George L. Cutting, a Harvard student, of Worcester, Mass., who

assisted in the raid, were put over for three weeks. Cutting is charged with

carrying a concealed weapon and also

with assault. Both complainants are policemen who were attempting to arrest James S. Y. Ivins son of William M. Ivins of New York, one of John G. Cross' deputies, when Cutting

Autos and Motor Trucks in War.

Washington, Aug. 22.—In order to have available a large number of au-tomobiles and motor trucks in case of war, General Frederick D. Grant, in his

annual report of the department of the lakes, submitted to the war depart-ment today, recommends legislation which would oblige private owners to

turn over to the government upon de-mand their automobiles at the first cost

Cholera In Italy.

Bari, Italy, August 22—Reports from the cholera infected districts show that during the past twenty-four hours

there were thirty cases and ewenty deaths. Denial is given to rumors that cases have been found in places hith-erto declared free of the disease.

of the machine.

AT NARRAGANSETT PIER

GAMBLING CRUSADE

AT HAMDEN A LIVE CONTEST

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES

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NORWICH, CONN., TUESDAY, AUGUST 23, 1910

TOGETHER AGAIN PULLING

Taft and Roosevelt Fellow-Workers in the Same Political Field

PRESIDENT NEVER TOOK ANY PART

In Plans to Defeat Roosevelt for Temporary Chairman of Coming New York State Republican Convention-Party Leaders Rebuked-New York Republican Organization Misrepresented the President's Attitude.

New York, Aug. 22 .- President Taft and ex-President Roosevelt are again fellow workers in the same political field. The threat that they might pull apart has been forefended by a full explanation on one side and an unre-served acceptance on the other.

Advised the Fullest Conference with Roosevelt.

The president makes it plain in a letter given out here today by Lloyd C. Griscom how the misunderstanding arose. He explains that he never took any part in a committee cabal to-defeat Mr. Roosevelt for temporary chairman of the coming republican state convention. On the contrary he explicitly deplores the results of the committee meeting which chose Vice President Sherman; he rebukes the party leaders who have permitted it to go abroad uncontradicted that the president of the United States was behind their factional preferences; he insists that at every opportunity he insists that at every opportunity he advised the fullest conference with Colonel Roosevelt and he explains that he has been pained by the "columns of unfounded assertions in the newspapers concerning my attitude in respect to the New York situation."

Ex-President Much Pleased. For his part, Colonel Roosevelt, when he read President Taft's letter, as communicated to him at Oyster Bay, I am very giad to see President the Taft's letter and am pleased with it." sent

INVENTOR THOMAS EDISON'S MESSAGE TO MILWAUKEE The Dollar-a-Day Man Can Now Have Fight Between Bulkeley and MoLean

His Own Home. New York, Aug. 22.—"My message to Milwaukee is that here is a great In these words, Thomas A. Edison,

In these words. Thomas A. Edison, the inventor, summed up tonight his belief in the new policy of municipal conversity of interest still going on at a late hour tonight, it was tated that while definite announcement could not be made at that time, the indications were that the conversity of the socialist administration of Mikhaukee. The city can buy the land sub-divide and improve the streets and parks continued Mr. Edison, "It can build wholesome comfortable houses with all modern conveniences and can build wholesome conveniences and can but them on the market on a large content of the livelest sort and the fact that the coming contest for the United States senatorship between the street and the fact that the coming contest for the United States senatorship between the state of the street and the state of the street and the state of the state of the state of the street and the state of th them on the market on a large Senator Bulkeley and former Govern-e at a cost not so exceed \$800 or McLean was an element in the

each.

"At these figures the dollar a day interest. The faction which supported can make it certain that he will. It can horrow money for five per cent. and sell the houses on installments at any one-fourth what these working ted was looked on as favoring Me. and sell the houses on installments at say one-fourth what these working people are now paying in rents. In this way the city expends nothing and the working people will expend only one-fourth what they are now paying for unsanitary, uncomfortable and wretch-

ed places of residence. municipal industrial enterprises for Milwaukee. Commissioner Mills sails for Europe tomorrow to investigate special phases of municipal ownership

HARTFORD BOY

STRUCK BY MOTOR CYCLE Skull Fractured, Besides Other Injuries-Dying in Hospital.

Hartford, Aug. 22.—Edward Murray, nine years old was struck and probably fatally injured by a motor cycle ridden by Stanley Bator of this city late today. The boy's skull is beliaved to be fractured and he has other lejuries. At St. Francis' hospital to which he was taken, his death is looked for. It is stated that following the accident flator rode away, but leter accident lintor rode away, but later disclosed himself to the authorities and was arrested charged with evading responsibility. The Murray lad was riding on the rear of a delivery wagon, it is said, and either jumped or fell off the vehicle into the path of the mater cycle.

Great Sensation in Panama Political Circles.

Panama, Aug. 22—It was stated at the American legation today that the United States government would con-sider upconstitutional the election by the national assembly of Acting Pres-Hent Carlos Mendoza as president of the republic of Panama to fill the unfinished two years of the term of the late President Obaldia. This state-ment coming so closely upon the time for the meeting of the assembly to choose a president, has created a great sensation in political circles.

Biennial Convention of the National Republican League.

Washington, Aug. 22.—The biennial convention of the National Republican league will be held at Carnogie hall, New York, Friday and Saturday, September 20 and October 1, according to an announcement made here today John Hays Hammond, president of league. President Taft has dethe league. President Taft has de-clared he will be present at the con-

President Taft to Take Panama Trip

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 22.—It is now practically certain that President Taft will make his proposed trip to the isthmus of Panama in November. The trip will be curtailed considerably, however, and the time of the president's absence may be set down from dent's absence may be cut down from

many as a Spy.

Emden Germany, Aug. 22.—A young Englishman was arrested today at Borkum and brought here and placed in prison. He is accused of being a

I fitted States are drawing upon every part of the world for raw material for use in their domestic influstries, not-withstanding the fact that the United States produces three-fourths of the world's cetten.

Cabled Paragraphs

Lima, Peru, Aug. 22.—Leslie W. Coombs, the American minister to Peru, is ill here, but his condition is not considered dangerous.

London, August 22—The British steamship Drumcliffe, from New York for Buenos Ayres, before reported, ashore on Lobos Island, is discharging cargo. Her captain hopes to save most

Kingston, Jamaica, Aug. 22.—The British cruiser Scylia, which has been patroling the Nicaraguan coast during the revolution, arrived here during the night from Bluefields. The cruiser came to renew supplies after her tour of duty in Nicaraguan waters.

London, Aug. 22.—Eighteen lives were lost when the British cruiser Bedford ran aground on the rocks off Quelpart Island, Korea, yesterday, according to the report received here by the admiralty. The men were members of the engine room staff.

Rome, Aug. 22.-Cardinal Vanutelli, Rome, Aug. 22.—Cardinal Vanutelli, the papal legate to the eucharistic congress to be held in Montreal, beginning Sept. 6, left today, for Liverpool, whence he will sail for Americal He will travel via Brussels, where he will be joined by Prince Ferdinand of Croy, household prelate to the pope, who will accompany him to Canada and London.

AT POLI'S.

Vaudeville and Motion Pictures. Packed to the doors, Poli's theater, redecorated, refurnished and revamped with brilliant lights and attractive settings, held a most enthusiastic audience on Monday evening at the season's opening. Present was the owner, son's opening. Present was the owner, S. Z. Poli, who was favorably impressed with the opening. In the lobby were paims and potted plants, while at each side of the stage were paims and in front of the boxes American flags and eagles. The several colored decorations of the walls, the brightening of the box decorations and the new and handsome stage settings with new curtains all gave the impression of a new ains all gave the impression of a new

A bill such as was never seen before there in the vaudeville line was presented and received the enthusiastic plaudits of the large crowd. Poll's or-chestra furnishes the music and the pictures shown are highly entertain-

Scheck are two of the cieverest seen here. Their work is classy and they get a big hand. May Elinore as the singing comedi-

May Elinore as the singing comedianne was a scream. She has a costume and makeup which are all her own and require no copyright, while her clever line of talk and jokes keeps the audience convulsed with laughter. She entertains all the time she is in sight.

Walker and III in their comediette Just a Girl have a number which tickles. It is the result of the man and woman being assigned to the same room at a hotel and the man taking the woman in pajamas for a boy. There is plenty of life and action throughout the skit. New Haven, August 22-With the

AT THE AUDITORIUM.

Vaudeville and Motion Pictures. y while the ticket on which the me of Cook and Andrew Ure appearwas looked on as favoring Mr. Lean.

Yew Haven. Aug. 23.—Samuel A. ght and Judge Willis M. Cook were need as candidates for state renerated by the season of 1910-1911, and a bill of unusual merit was presented to the delight of the packed house. It was one of the many delightful high class wheeler the are the season of 1910-1911, and a bill of unusual merit was presented to the season of 1910-1911, and a bill of the season of 1910-1911, and a bill of unusual merit was presented to the season of 1910-1911, and a bill of unusual merit was presented to the season of 1910-1911, and a bill of unusual merit was presented to the season of 1910-1911, and a bill of unusual merit was presented to the start. the Auditorium on Monday evening for

senting, and made a hit. Herbert Cyril of national fame, the first man to send a chellenge to Jack Johnson after he defeated Jeffries, agreeing to meet him within a year, is one of the big cards. He is a boxer of clever ability and has a fine phy sique. As the original London John

190. Cook's vote was 214 and Ure's
198. A third ticket, headed by Frank
H. Thomas and W. W. Gale, representing the "young men's faction," and
also regarded as favorable to Senator
Bulkeley, was in the field Thomas being given 141 votes and Gale 124. ny he gives the audience a merry act and gets several recalls.

Louise Morrison & Co. in the polit-ical satire Ante Bellum suffragete, provide an entertaining number, while Nina Esphey by her banjo selections aroused much applause and was obliged to give several extra numbers.

The hig number is the Heidelberg Four, a quarrette of high order, and their singing properly tops off an already excellent entertainment. Their singing is grand and the audience con-tinually clamours for more. The pic-tures are all well chosen. Baker's orchestra of four pieces is furnishing the music this year, while the theatre by the numerous changes presents an attractive and much im proved appearance. Many compli-mentary remarks were heard to mentary remarks were heard for owner Shannon on the season's open-

FUNERALS.

Frank L. Worthington.

At three o'clock Monday afternoon the funeral of Frank L. Worthington was held from the home of his parents No. 29 Hedge avenue, there being a large number in attendance including Mrs. Atkins Messrs. Shumway and Clark of New Britain. There was a profusion of beautiful floral forms in-cluding one from the Odd Fellows lodge, to which he belonged in New

In that city.

The services were conducted by Rev.
Dr. M. S. Kaufman, D. D., pastor of
Trinity Methodist Episcopal church,
who made an address. Eben Learned sang Jesus Lover of My Soul and
Jesus Saviour Pilot Me. The bearers
were George L. Botham, Charles
Barnes, George G. Engler and Leroy
G. Bachelder, Burial was in Maplewood cemetrey where a committal wood cemetrey where a commi service was read. Church & Allen charge of the arrangements.

Shetucket River Carp. Many German carp are being seen the Shetucket river and some of them have been caught. Four were secured in a seine Monday morning, though many others jumped out and some broke through the mesh. On Sunday Henry Lewis tried to catch them with line and hook, but they would not take halt. He finally hooked into one walching. into one weighing 12 pounds, which gave him a hard fight, while others were landed weighing four pounds each. They were caught from the municipal dock.

In the City Courts

Hartford.—The receipts of the Hartford postoffice were \$33,857.48 during July, compared to \$38,492.41 in July, 1809, a decrease of \$2,634.93, or 7.22 per cent.

Naugatuck.—The local rubber factories closed Saturday in order to give the cases were for intoxication or breach of the peace.

There were several cases before the city court on Monday morning. Attorney tories closed Saturday in order to give Hall. All the cases were for intoxication or breach of the peace.

Revolutionists

HAD BEEN FIGHTING FOR THE

PLACE TEN MONTHS.

THE REUNITED NICARAGUA

General Juan Estrada Proclaimed Pres

Estrada Declared President.

Americans.

Madriz and His Generals Go to Hon-

duras.

American Prisoners Freed.

SAID TO HAVE LEFT MANAGUA.

ause is not yet lost. State department officials decline

The Presidency Turned Over.

VIKING REPORTED SAFE.

Baker Yacht Arrives at Newport After

Stories of Being Lost.

KRUPP LABORATORY BLOWN UP

duras.

nade their escape. GENERAL MADRIZ

FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE HE WAS WOUNDED.

FULL RECOVERY ASSURED

Retire from the Case-Patient Now Able to be Moved Home.

New York, Aug. 22.—For the first time since he was shot by James J. Gallagher nearly two weeks ako, the night watch upon Mayor Gaynor was abandoned by his physicians tonight. Bulletins Given Up.

The bulletins had previously been given up and the full measure of the mayor's recovery was indicated by the doctor's statement that they would retire from the case in a few days. Could Be Safely Moved Home.

Robert Adamson the mayor's secretary said tonight that his condition is such that he could be moved now to his home or taken to the Adirondadus in perfect safety, but it has been deemed best to allow him to regain his full strength before he leaves the hospital.

TWENTY-FIVE MILES BURNED OVER BY FOREST FIRES Life in Coour D'Alene Region

of life in the forest fires that swept over the Cooug D'Alene region Saturday and Sunday is placed tonight at eighty persons. Forestry officials tonight received word that 34 fire fighters had been burned to death on Big Creek and 30 met death on Superior Lake.

Placed at 80 Persons.

Creek and 30 met death on Superior Lake.

Word came today that 106 men near Avery on the St. Joe River had been burned, but a later report said that all but four came out-safely. Six men were killed in the Placer Creek fire, three miles from Wallace, three near Mulian and three at Wallace.

The whole country from here to the St. Joe River, 25 miles, has been burned over.

The loss at Wallace still stands at

The loss at Wallace still stands at \$1,008,000. One hundred buildings were destroyed. The hospitals are full of wounded, a number of them being

EX-CONGRESSMAN SIBLEY WITHDRAWS FROM CONTEST

Republican Nominee from the 28th Pennsylvania District.

Franklin, Pa., Aug. 22.—Ex-Congressman Joseph C. Sibley, republican nominee for congress fram II.- Twenty-eighth district, announced his withdrawal from the contest tonight. Mr. Sibley defeated Congressman N. P. Wheeler for the nomination and upon the filing of \$42,500 as election expenses an audit of Mr. Sibley's account was demanded and ordered by the courts. Scores of wineses had been summoved before Judge Crisswell next

In a public statement Mr. Sibley assigns ill health as his reason for withdrawing. It is said that Congressman Wheeler probably will be selected by the conferees appointed to fill the va-

FUGITIVE TAKEN IN MANILA. C. Curtise Hill Arrested on California Charge of Embezziement.

Manila, Aug. 22.—C. Curtiss Hill was arrested here today on the request of the Californian authorities. He is charged with embezzlement. Although he denies his guilt, he will not oppose extraditions.

Swiss Balloon Entered in International Race.

Berne, August 22—Switzerland will send Colonei Schaeck and Major Armbruster with the balloon Helvetia as her representatives in the international balloon race to be held in St. Louis. October 17. The race is for the James Gordon Bennett cup for long distance fisch.

With favor on General Juan Estrada. Whose treatment of Americans along the eastern coast, where he has been recognized as the head of the responsible government, has been the subject of repeated praise. The department is expected to recognize Estrada only after satisfactory assurances of an early election, which shall be fair and open to all candidates.

Believing that all direct communication with Managua is impossible, despatch from Consul Olivares at Managua, by way of Honduras, elucidating the situation.

The Presidency Turned Over. Gordon Bennett cup for long distance

DANIELSON GIRL FOUND.

Detained Here and Turned Over to Chief Pilling, Who Took Her Home.

Having run away from her home in Danielson last Friday. Margaret Hodgkins, aged 15, was found in this city Monday. Her presence here was learned by Acting Chief Linton and he had Policeman Maloney take her to headquarters where she was detained until Chief Pilling arrived and took her home. She stated that she was not satisfied with conditions at home and heaves of that you war. she was at New London Saturday since which time she has been here. She would not have cared if she had been sent to a state institution.

Benjamin T. Rackett Returns to New

Benjamin T. Rackett has returned to New York after a week's visit with his aunt, Mrs. Lemnel B. Park of Dunham street. While in town he gave gave his friends a great deal of pleasure with his music

Baby Nearly Drowned.

Essen, Germany, Aug. 22.—The laboratory of the proving grounds of the Krupp works here was blown up by an explosion today, the buildings being subsequently destroyed by fire. The powder sheds near by, containing a great quantity of explosives, were Many from the local postoffice went Many from the local postoffice went to Brightman's pond on Sunday where they had a clambake with the em-ployes of the Westerly office. A game of ball between the two offices result-ed in favor of the local team 7 to 6. The teams played as follows: Westerly—McGuinness c. Flynn p McMahon 1b McGuire 2b, Linehan ss. Montague 3b, Clark If, Hazard cf, Clancy rf. barely saved by the quickness of the firemen. Boy Killed by Fall of Electric Light

Norwich—Wallace c. Blackburn p. Counihan 1b, O'Sullivan 2b, Shea ss. Hinchey 2b, Haselden If, O'Nell cf. Pole.

Derby, Conn. Aug. 22.—By the sud-den collapse and fall of an electric light pole here tonight, Francis Lof-tus seven years old, was killed. He was playing with companions near the pole, when it fell, and his skull was crushed by it. He died on the way to

Tacoma, Wash. Aug. 22.—A brush fire tonight is racing across the southwest limits of Tacoma. It is going 700 feet ah hour before a 35-mile wind. Oakland a suburb of workingmen's homes, is threatened. Unless the flames are checked, Regent's park, a fashionable shourb, will suffer.

The Special International Convention United Mine Workers in session at adiamapolis adjourned.

Take Managua The Illinois Railroad Commission ill reduce express rates 19 per cent. n October 1. The companies will fight.

The Improvement of Jamaica Bay, which is now under way, will add 150 miles of water front to the New York harbor.

Louisiana Legislature Has Passed ine bill subhitting to the voters a bon issue of \$6,500,000 for the Panam Exposition.

A Stretch of 51-2 Miles of the Pan-ama canal at the Atlantic entrance was opened to navigation on August 13 for the sand and rock fleet of the Atlan-

Three Unknown Men Entered an East Side saloon in New York where Antonio di Leoni and his brother John were playing pool and fired four sheas, Antonio dropped dead and John carnot New Orleans, La., Aug. 22.—Managua has fallen. The Nicaraguan revolutionists have finally reached the goal for which they have been fighting for ten months. President Madriz did not flee. He remained in the capital city until the last. Cable despatches to this effect were received here this afternoon

On the Arrival at Cherbourg from New York of the steamer President Lincoln the police arrested Joseph Guilhen on the request of the Ameri-can government, charged with owing a white slaver."

"Jose Dolores Estrada today issued a proclamation declaring his brother, Gen, Juan J. Estrada, president of the reunited republic of Nicaragua, Revolutionists are pouring into Managua. Situation alarming." This cable despatch was received from Managua this afternoon by Harvey Smith, who served the Madriz government here as consul general. that there will undoubtedly be a large wheat shortage the world over for 1910. He estimates the shortage to the crop in France alone from 50,000,000 to 100,000,000 bushels.

The Southern New England Tele-NEW PRESIDENT CABLES KNOX. phone Co. is planning to issue \$1.099, 100 additional stock, bringing outstanding stock to \$8.972,800. One share of new for each seven of old will be offered stockholders. Amends Will Be Made for Execution of

Bluefields, Nicaragua, Aug. 22.—General Estrada cabled Secretary of State Kno at Washington today an assurance to the American people of his warm regard and offered to make amends for the execution of the Americans Cannon and Grace and other The Packing of Hogs in the west for the week was 365,000, compared with 350,000 the previous week and the same

cans Cannon and Groce, and other unfriendly acts toward the United States by Presidents Zelaya and Madriz. San Juan Del Sur, Aug. 22.—President Madriz, Dr. Irlas and Generals Ortiz, Toledo, Valdes, Lara, Chavarria, Chavez and Perdomo and several other of Madriz's chief lieutenants have left Corinto on board the Pacific Mail steamer San Jose for Amapala. Honduras

Paul Niering, an Animal Tentoer o Mount Vernon, N. Y. was clayed and badly hurt by a victous tier in the arena of a parkast Newark. J. Thise hundred men, women and children field from the auditorium, screaming in panic, and the beast, distracted by their Managua, Aug. 22.—The advance guard of the revolutionists is now one mile from Maiagua.

President Madriz left the capital on Sundamied by his chief advisers.

There was rioting Sunday night, but it was quickly quelled. The situation is critical.

William Pittman, the Boston engineer accused of laving mines is free cries, released Niering long on migh ; permit his rescue.

John E. Alexandre of 26 West Thirtyeighth street, New York, died at his
summer residence. Spring Lawn, yesterday. He was formerly part owner
of the Alexandre steamship line, riging between New York and Brust,
which was later sold to the Ward line,
He was 70 years old and leaves a widow and three daughters. neer accused of laying mines, is free at the American consulate. All the prisoners in the penitentiary have

SAID TO HAVE LEFT MANAGUA.

Two Persons Were Drowned in the Delaware river when the steamer Brandywine, bound from Philadelphia Washington, Aug. 22.—While official despatches were lacking, scarcely any doubt remains in Washington tonight that the Madriz forces have been supported by the second of the second of

that the Madriz forces have been crushed in Nicaragua and that General Juan Estrada, leader of the insurgents, has succeeded Madriz as temporary acting president of the Manague government. Only the staunchest adherents of Nicaragua to the helief that his

LINE ELECTRIC ROAD. Only the staunchest adherents of Madriz hold to the belief that his People Cheer It and the Officials Which It Carries.

Essex, Aug. 22.—The first car over the Shore Line electric road came through this place at noon Sunday. It was declared by the people to be the finest ever seen in Connecticut and entirely different from any running in the east handsomer in its account. to discuss the disturbances in Nicar-agua. It is well known however, that they are pleased at the reported down-fall of Madriz power and that they look with favor on General Juan Estrada. the east, handsomer in its appoint-

A party of officials of the road was aboard. They included Mr. Sperry, the engineer who supervised the construction of the line.

The car was very large. It had a smoking compartment in one end, with a small baggage room between that and the part reserved for nassengers.

The arrival of the car here was halled with loy, and all along the line necessary.

of the car here was half-ed with joy, and all along the line peo-ple gave welcome with flags and cheers, even though it was the Sabbath. The date for the formal opening of the road has not been announced, but it is understood it will take place in a few Bluefields, Nicaragua, Aug. 22.—Reliable telegraphic reports from the Pacific coast set forth that General Madriz has turned the presidency of Nicaragua to Jose D. Estrada, who will in turn transfer the presidency to his brother, Juan Estrada, the revolutionary leader. Madriz is said to have left Managua.

ST. LOUIS STILL FOURTH. But Position Among Cities Menaced by Boston and Baltimore.

Washington, Aug. 22.—St. Louis has a population of 687,929. The gain of the Missouri metropolis in the past de-

cent.
In 1900 the population was 575,238.
In 1890 it was 451,770. The gain during that decade was 27.3, so that the drop to 19.4 carries an element of disappointment, for St. Louis had hoped to surpass the 700,000 mark.

The new figures leave St. Louis still the fourth city of the United States. New York, Aug. 22.—The report that the steam yacht Viking, owned by George F. Baker, Jr., had sunk with twenty persons on board off Cape Cod was discredited completely today when Mr. Baker telephoned here that the Viking had arrived this morning at Newport, R. L., from Larchmont. A Newport despatch stated that a bottle had been found there containing a note that the Viking struck a ree? off Cape Cod, Mass., on Aug. 14 and had sunk. the fourth city of the United States. Her title to this position is menaced only by Boston and Baltimore, which ten years ago were respectively 13,000 and 67,000 behind her. Boston and

Baltimore figures are hardly to be expected before Sept. 1. CONFESSED THE ROBBERY. Thieves Who Stole New York Wo man's Jewelry in Swiss Hotel.

St. Moritz, Switzerland, Aug. 22.— The thieves who on August 18 robbed Mrs. Daniel Bacon of New York of a large amount of jewelry were arrested today and have confessed to the rob-bery. They are a chambermaid at the hotel at which Mrs. Bacon with sister, Lady Gilbert Parker, and Gilbert Parker, were stopping, and the maid's husband. The value of the stolen gems was in first despatches placed at \$45,000 but later reports show that the value has been greatly

exaggerated. RED CROSS LEADER DEAD. Gustave Moynier, President of Inter national Committee, Expires.

Geneva, Switz, Aug. 22.—Gustave Moynier, president of the international committee of the Red Cross since the foundation of the committee in 1863, died her today. He was 84 years of

Kate Claxton Surs for Divorce. Choir Boys Returned.

The Christ church choir boys, who have been at their bungalow at Pleasant View, returned on Saturday after a most delightful two weeks. They were under the direction of Norbert Schutz while on their vacation, and he proved an excellent disciplinarian.

feet an hour before a 35-mile wind Cakland a suburb of workingmen's homes is threatened. Unless the flames are checked. Regent's park, a fashionable smouth, will suffer.

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HICE TWO CENTS

OUTLOOK IN BOSTON OFFICES IS

MUCH BRIGHTER.

BUSINESS IS IMPROVING

In Woolen Mills-Many Resume Op erations on Full Time, While Some Go on Day and Night Schedule.

Boston, August 22—Many looms in New England woolen mills which have been idls for weeks or have been operated on short time, were set in motion today, indicating that business in that Industry is improving. While many mills are running on short time and probably will do for several weeks, the outlook in Boston mill offices is regarded as brighter. The mixed political situation is looked upon as the principal unfavorable feature.

Additional Machinery Started.

The American Woolen company, which owns thirty plants in New England and New York state, has started additional machinery during the past week, and in some of its mills much activity prevails.

On Full Time.

The company's mills at Moosup. Conn., Oineyville. R. L. and elsewhere, have put several thousand operatives to work on full time, although all of the mills at Onlyville will not be operated in full this month. Overtime Work.

The Packing of Hogs in the west for the week was 265.000, compared with 350.000 the previous week and the same amount for the corresponding week a year ago. From March 1 the total is 9.585.000, against 11.075.000 a year ago.

The Returns of the Fishery Board for Scotland give the combined catches of herring at Orkney and Shetland and on the east coast of Scotland and that part of the Northhumperland coast under the jurisdiction of the board from May to July 23, at 1.068, 000 cranes—1,668.000 fish.

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Resumed After Long Shutdown. The Berkshire Woolen and Worsted Company's mills in Pittsfield started work today after after a long shut-down. The plant was formerly oper-ated by the Peck Manuafacturing com-

After a three weeks' shutdown the Gonye Woolen mills in Rochester, N. H., got into motion today, If con-ditions warrant the American Woolen company will decrease its idle machin

ery in Olneyville and at other points gradually.

Montville Conn., Aug 22.—The industrial situation in this town is brightening with promise of steady employment during the fall and winter for several hundred operatives. The Pequot mills, which have been gosed for a month, resumed operations today. The Thames Dye and Bleachery company's new mill was also started this morning. In the course of the next few days it is expected that still other industrial plants in the town

KNOWN IN EVERY POLICE STATION IN THE LAND Bogus Nobleman "Lord Ashburten Again Arrested in Boston.

Boston Aug. 22.—Known in every police station in the United States as "Lord Ashburton," Charles F. Rich-ards is again under arrest in this city. This time the bogus nobleman is charged with the theft of \$780 from Mrs. Mary McLean, the proprietor of a Shawmut avenue lodging house. George Nickerson, a friend of "his George Nickerson, a trend lordship," is also under arrest in con-nection with the case. "Lord Ashbur-ton" is 71 years old. He has been many times arrested in England and Both men were held in \$500 ball for a hearing August 50.

MUNSEY CARS IN VERMONT Route Has Been Changed from the Original Plans.

Burlington, Vt., August 22.—The pilot car of the Munsey automobile tour arrived here from Bethlehem, N. H., and Montpeller, Vt., shortly before fires o'clock this afternoon and all of the cars were in the city by 4.30 p. m. It was announced that the route had been changed from the original plans, which called for a tour around the north side of Lake Champiain. In three sections the cars will leave here tonight and tomorrow for Plattsburg on their way to Saratoga. The first section left tonight at five o'clock. The second section proceeds at five o'clock tomorrow morning and the third section at nine tomorrow morning. third section at nine tomorrow morn-

SAYS IT'S HALLEY'S COMET. French Expert Refers to One Spotted by Taunton Man.

Paris, Aug. 22.—Colonel Marchand, the hero of Fashoda and a noted astronomer, never believed that the comet which made its appearance in June was Halley's comet, which he believes is not due until September.

The Gaulois is trying to identify the comet which Metcalf of Taunton. Mass. recently discovered, and which has since been observed at Paris, Lyons and Marseilles, as really the comet of Halley.

To Guarantee "Cetton Bills." London, August 22-The latest developments in the controversy over American cotton bills of lading is a

written intimation to English banks by the American Express Company of its willingness to guarantee the gennineness of documents of lading at-tached to bills purchased by them. The committee of Southern banks in the United States has also cabled Lon-don banks urging conference on the

At London, Aug. 22: Minneapolis. At Naples, Aug. 20; Oceania, from lew York; Aug. 21; Hamburg, from lew York. New York. At Liverpool, Aug. 21: Celtic, from New York.

At Hamburg, Aug. 21: President
Lincoln, from New York.

At Antwerp, Aug. 22: Lapland, from

Middletewn. Practically all of the Protestant pastors are away on their tacations and in consequence the polypits in the various shurches were accupied Sunday by pasters from est of town

Freight Left Rails. About 3.30 o'clock Monday afternoon a southbound freight blocked the track at the north end of the railroad yard on the new wharf. An empty coal car left the rails and was carried along the sleepers for some distance, the rear trucks being nearly pulled out from ander the car. Baby Nearly Drowned. While Mrs. August Bergman of Trading Cove was giving her baby a bath Sunday afternoon she left her to get some clothing and when she returned the baby was in the bath tub. She was rescued barely in time, although Dr. Patrick Cassidy was obliged to work over her some time before she had fully recovered.